

Yesterday, I spoke to a group of young leaders from the American Israel Public Affairs Committee. AIPAC is a pro Israel lobby that has worked for over half a century to help make Israel more secure by ensuring that American support remains strong. The New York Times has even labeled AIPAC "the most important organization affecting America's relationship with Israel."

I spoke to the group about Iran as a threat to the Jewish state. I stressed that Israel is a dynamic, multi-cultural beacon of democracy in the Middle East and emphasized the need to protect Israel, which includes providing the most up-to-date and comprehensive missile defense systems.

Included in the photo are 15 young leaders within AIPAC and Representative Kirk.



Congressman Kirk with Saban student Jessica Gross of Northbrook, Ill.